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Memorandum submitted by Bengal **Immunity Workers**

3418. SHRI SAMAR MUKHERJEE: Will the Minister $_0$f INDUSTRY De pleased to state:

) whether Government have received a memorandum dated 10th March, 1988 from Bengal Immunity Workers' Union, Calcutta;

(b) if so, what are the salient features of the said memorandum; and

(c) what is Government's reaction to the points and suggestions made in the Memorandum?

THE MINISTER OF INDUSTRY (SHRI J. VENGAL RAO): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) In the memorandum, the Bengal Immunity Workers' Union has pointed out lower production, purchasing the loan licence products, non-utilization of certain newly purchased machines' lower capacity utilization of newly set up ptant, and mismanagement of the company etc.

(e) Due to shortage of working capital, Bengal Immunity Ltd., Calcutta is unable to produce several items to full capacity. A rehabilitation Plan to improve the performance of the company has been submitted to Industrial Reconstruction Bank of India.

**Profitability studies of Drug Companies**

3419. SHRIMATI RATAN KUMARI; Will the Minister of INDUSTRY be pleased to state;

(a)whet'her profitability and performance studies of different drug companies is made by Goveinment; if so, when it was last made in res. pect of each of them and the outcome thereof;

(b) what are the names of the drugs as well as formulations, both controlled and decontrolled for which prices have increased by different companies after the announcement of DPCO, 1987 indicating the original ana increased prices and the percen tage increase in each case;

(c) whether it is a fact that none of these companies referred to in part (b) above is producing category-I drugs of formulations;

(d) if so, what are the reasons thereof; and

(e) what Was the ex-factory cost of production of buik of various drugs and formulations during the last three years, year-wise in respect of each company?

THE MINISTER OF INDUSTRY (SHRI J. VENGAL RAO): (a) The profitability and performance studies